

# American Rescue Plan Act February 2023 Update

### **Committee Goals**

- Make a long-lasting impact on the city.
- Reflect community input as expressed during 2021 public meetings.
- Address needs as expressed by city departments.
- Follow ARPA guidelines.

#### **Recent Activity**

- Reviewed Youth & Seniors Proposals
- Discussed 2023 Public Relations

### Council-Approved Funds: \$51,045,269

- Youngstown/Warren Regional Chamber: Site Readiness Program
  - o **\$187,500**
- City of Youngstown: Façade Grant Program with Valley Partners
  - o **\$1,000,000**
- City of Youngstown: Revolving Loan Fund with Valley Partners
  - o \$2,000,000
- City of Youngstown: EMS Ambulance Services
  - o **\$3,968,716**
- City of Youngstown: Defibrillators
  - o **\$86,475**
- City of Youngstown: Police Body Cameras and Tasers
  - o **\$1,291,989**
- City of Youngstown: Police Media Hire Campaign
  - o **\$23,710**
- City of Youngstown: Housing Demo and Remediation
  - o **\$8,000,000**
- ACTION: Mahoning Valley Mobile Market
  - o **\$129,000**
- City of Youngstown: Council Spending
  - o **\$14,000,000**
- Revenue Replacement
  - o **\$4,580,312**
- Youngstown City Health District: Community Health Worker Program
  - o **\$2,466,448**
- Youngstown City Health District: Vibrant Valley Health Equity Plan



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- o **\$150,000**
- Youngstown Park Department: Immediate Park Needs
  - o **\$150,000**
- City of Youngstown: IT Upgrades
  - o **\$200,000**
- City of Youngstown Public Works: Eddie/Roy/Hazelwood Waterline Replacement
  - o **\$2,261,119**
- Youngstown Park Department: Comprehensive Park Needs
  - o **\$10,500,000**
- Family Tech Connect: Technology Coaching for Seniors
  - o **\$50,000**

#### **Local Resident-Identified Priorities**

- Community, Youth, and Violence Prevention
- Housing, Neighborhoods, and Commercial Corridors
- Public Utility and Infrastructure
- Parks and Public Facilities
- Local Economic Recovery
- City Investment

#### Timeline

#### Feedback Sessions

- ARP Summit: 5/20 5/21/21
- Youth Meeting: 8/24/21
- Young Adult Meeting: 8/26/21
- Senior Meeting: 10/7/21
- 1<sup>st</sup> Ward Meeting: 7/15/21
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward Meeting: 8/17/21
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Ward Meeting: 6/15/21
- 4<sup>th</sup> Ward Meeting: 8/10/21
- 5<sup>th</sup> Ward Meeting: 6/29/21
- 6<sup>th</sup> Ward Meeting: 6/12/21
- 7<sup>th</sup> Ward Meeting: 7/6/21

### **Completed Activities**

• May – October 2021: ARP proposal submission open

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- November 2021: EAG team processed and organized proposals
- December 2021: ARPA Review Committee begins meeting to discuss action steps for proposal review
- January 2022: ARPA Review Committee begins meeting biweekly
- **February 2022**: Subcommittee within ARPA Review Committee conducts preliminary review of all proposals to separate viable proposals from those that are nonviable
- March 2022: Full review of viable proposals begins
- April 2022: Complete review of Public Utility and Infrastructure, and Parks and Public Facilities Proposals
- **May 2022**: Reviewed proposals from the Youngstown City Health District and finalized other Health, Public Works, and Water Proposals
- June 2022: Began looking into YPD and Housing, Neighborhood, and Commercial Corridor proposals
- July 2022: Continued with YPD proposals and discussed need for a follow-up application for viable proposals
- August 2022: Reviewed Economic Development Proposals, a formal Follow Up Application process, and Water Department Lead Remediation efforts.
- **September 2022**: Reviewed Economic Development Proposals, met with applicants, and began presenting several proposals to council.
- October 2022: Reviewed Economic Development Proposals, reviewed proposals from the 3<sup>rd</sup> Ward Councilperson, met with applicants, and recommended several proposals to council.
- **November 2022**: Reviewed proposals within the Economic Development, Youth Development, and City Investment categories. The Committee met with proposal representatives during meetings on November 2, 16, and 30.
- **December 2022:** Reviewed proposal within Housing Category. Reviewed remaining proposals and identified goals for first quarter of 2023.
- January 2023: Reviewed proposals within the Economic Development category. Committee received updated proposals from the City of Youngstown's Engineering Department and Land Bank.
- **February 2023:** Reviewed proposals within the Youth & Seniors category. The Committee met with proposal applicants to review follow up information. The committee discussed 2023 Public Relations goals.

### **ARPA Deadlines**

Encumbrance Deadline: 12/31/2024



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Spending Deadline: 12/31/2026

#### **ARPA Committee Members:**

- Mayor Jamael Tito Brown
- Nikki Posterli: Chief of Staff
- Kyle Miasek: Administration
- Jeff Limbian: Administration
- Lou D'Apolito: Administration
- Hunter Morrison: Planning
- Anita Davis: 6<sup>th</sup> Ward Councilwoman
- Mike Ray: 4<sup>th</sup> Ward Councilman
- Lynnette Forde: The Youngstown Foundation
- Economic Action Group